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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFIC

In re application of:

ADAMS et al.

Appl. No. 08/549,318

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Boronic Ester and Acid

Compounds, Synthesis and Uses

Art Unit:

Examiner: Ramsuer, R.W.

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Supplemental Amendment and Reply

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In further response to the Office Action dated May 8, 1997, (PTO Prosecution File Wrapper Paper No. 9), and in response to telephone interviews between Examiner Ramsuer and the undersigned attorney on November 12, 1997 and January 6, 1998, Applicants submit the following Supplemental Amendment and Remarks.

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a). and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036.

Amendments

In the Claims:

Kindly cancel claims 91, 92, 94, 5, 43-50 and 65 without prejudice or disclaimer.

